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Re: Opposition No. 91162780 and Counterclaim for Cancellation

Applicant/Petitioner: Keith Cangiarella Opposer/Respondent: Gold Shells, Inc.

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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In the Matter of Trademark Application Serial No. 78/229,875 Mark: MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE GOLD SHELLS, INC., Opposition No. 91162780 and a California corporation, Counterclaim for Cancellation Opposer, ٧. KEITH CANGIARELLA, Applicant. In the Matter of Trademark Registration No. 2,243,269 Mårk: MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE KEITH CANGIARELLA, Petitioner, V. GOLD SHELLS, INC., Respondent.

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TO THE TRADEMARK TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD AND TO APPLICANT KEITH CANGIARELLA:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that commencing Tuesday, November 6, 2007, and continuing through Wednesday, November 28, 2007, Peter H. Smith, Attorney at Law, will be unavailable for any purpose whatsoever, including but not limited to receiving notices of any kind, responding to ex parte applications, appearing in court,

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Dated: November 2, 2007

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#### Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF UNAVAILABILITY was faxed to Applicant Keith Cangiarella at (714) 464-4112, and mailed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to Applicant Keith Cangiarella at 331 N. Harrington Drive, Fullerton, CA 92831, on November 2, 2007.

Dated: November 2, 2007.

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